



**COUNTY OF SAN MATEO**  
Inter-Departmental Correspondence  
Board of Supervisors



**Date:** March 19, 2014

**Board Meeting Date:** March, 2014

**Special Notice / Hearing:** None

**Vote Required:** Majority

**To:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**From:** Supervisor Dave Pine

**Subject:** Designation of the San Mateo County / Silicon Valley Convention & Visitors Bureau's Film Commission as the County of San Mateo California Film Commission Regional Film Partner Designee

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Adopt a Resolution providing The San Mateo County / Silicon Valley Convention and Visitors Bureau's Film Commission with a formal designation to serve as San Mateo County's Regional Film Partner with the California Film Commission.

**BACKGROUND:**

The Film Commission within the San Mateo County/Silicon Valley Convention & Visitors Bureau (The Bureau) performs the functions of an official film commission in San Mateo County for the state and anyone considering filming in the area, and has recruited and assisted with filming that has generated millions of dollars for our area. The Bureau's Film Commissioner is also now one of 51 film commissioners/liaisons in the state with the official Accredited Film Commissioner credential.

**DISCUSSION:**

The California Film Commission is requesting a Resolution attesting to the fact that The Bureau's Film Commission is the official film commission for the County of San Mateo, in an effort to prevent any and every unofficial organization from labeling itself a "film commission".

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the Resolution as to form.

Approval of this Resolution contributes the Shared Vision 2025 outcome of a Collaborative Community by forging partnerships with the San Mateo County / Silicon Valley Convention & Visitors Bureau's Film Commission.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

None